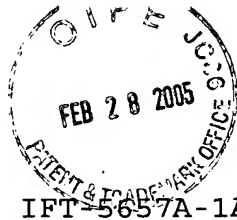


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Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of this application which now has been on file for about fifteen months.

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